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HARUO SUGANO, et al.  
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STATUS INQUIRY

Sir:


Applicants respectfully request and indication  
of the status of the above-identified application.  
Prosecution was suspended pending entry of a final judgment  
in Interference No. 101,096.

Final judgment has been entered in Interference  
No. 101,096 awarding priority to Sugano, et al., Applicants  
herein. A copy of the decision of the Court of Appeals for  
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Early and favorable consideration of the claims  
in this divisional application is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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